

Burscough Bridge News



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Star Awards Christian Value Awards



Well Done!



Diary Dates

24th Sept Celebration Assembly
13th Oct School Photographer
20th Oct Flu Immunisations
21st Oct School Closes Half Term
31st Oct Secondary Applications close
2nd Nov School Re-opens
17th Dec School Closes 1.10pm
15th Jan Primary Applications close

New Phone Numbers/Change of Address

If you change your phone number or email address can you please make sure you update your contacts with Mrs Parkin in the office. Similarly if you move house. It is really important that we have the most up to date information should we need to contact you if we have an emergency.

Harvest Festival

For Harvest Festival this year we are collecting donations for The Trussell Trust - Food Bank in Skelmersdale of non-perishable foods such as tins and packets soaps toothpaste pet food and nappies or if you would prefer to donate money this would also be welcome. We are pleased to announce that we are in the planning stages with the Church to become a distribution centre for the Food Bank for our local area as there is currently no facility in Burscough for a much needed resource.

Celebration Assembly

Next Friday we are able to welcome families to our weekly Celebration Assembly at 9am. Please come in through the main entrance.

Activity Clubs

Our after school Activity Club starts on Monday and we have some fun things planned for each day. The activity clubs are open to all pupils and need to be booked and paid for a week in advance to enable us to ensure the correct staffing and resources are available. The activities will run from 3.15pm until 5.30pm and the timetable is as follows:-

Monday - Computer Club

Tuesday - Art Club

Wednesday - Puzzle and Games Club

Thursday - Homework Club

Friday - Junior Sports Club Infants Club

Charged at £6.00

Each Club is charged at £6 per session, except the Friday Junior Sports Club which is free until 4.15pm as it is subsidised by West Lancashire Schools Sports Partnership, should you wish your child to stay till 5.30pm is charged at £6.00.

Toast

If your child would like toast please send in 20p each day.

Our Values - Love, Respect, Hope, Forgiveness, Trust, Perseverance.

PE Days

On PE days please can you make sure your child comes to school in their PE kit.

Please note PE kit consists of white T-shirt, black or navy shorts, school sweatshirts, dark coloured trainers and dark coloured joggers on colder days.

Long hair must be tied up and if your child has their ears pierced can you please ensure they do not wear earrings on PE day or if necessary they are covered with plasters.

Infants - Tuesday & Thursday.

Y3&4 - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

Y5&6 - Wednesday, Thursday & Friday.

Attendance and Punctuality

Can all parents please make sure pupils arrive by 8.45am so children are on time for registration every day as arriving late disrupts the whole class and the children miss out on an important part of school life. If your child is absent for any reason it is important to ensure you phone school by 9.15am at the latest.

Primary and Secondary School Applications

The LCC website for Primary and Secondary School admissions is now open. The closing dates to apply are 31st October for Secondary Places and 15th January for Primary Places. If you have a child or know anybody with a child due to start school in September please pass on the important information.

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Coronavirus Update

The Government have changed the rules regarding isolating.

Individuals will no longer be required to isolate if they live in the same household or are a close contact of someone with COVID-19 and

- they are fully vaccinated
- they are below the age of 18 years and 6 months
- they taking part in or are currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial
- they who are not able to get vaccinated

Children, pupils and students aged under 18 years 6 months who usually attend school, and have been identified as a close contact, should continue to attend school as normal.

Christian Value

This half term our Christian Value is
Respect (Friendship):-



Our Mission Statement

'Let Your Light Shine To All'

(John Wesley)

Through exciting opportunities in lessons and the wider curriculum our children become well rounded, caring change makers in our world. Each child is at the heart of all we do, to ensure they become the best they can be and are meant to be.

Dinners

If your child would like to go on to school dinners the cost is £2.40 per day/£12.00 per week and £86.40 up until the half term holiday. Meals are ordered in advance and we are flexible should pupils only want meals on specific days rather than whole weeks we can accommodate this.